



General Assembly

January Session, 2015

***Proposed Bill No. 619***

LCO No. 2744



Referred to Committee on COMMERCE

Introduced by:

SEN. KELLY, 21<sup>st</sup> Dist.

***AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR A STRATFORD CULTURAL ARTS CENTER.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the State Bond Commission be empowered to authorize the
- 2 issuance of bonds of the state in accordance with section 3-20 of the
- 3 general statutes, in principal amounts not exceeding in the aggregate
- 4 three million dollars, the proceeds of which shall be used by the
- 5 Department of Economic and Community Development for the
- 6 purpose of providing a grant-in-aid to the town of Stratford for the
- 7 creation of a Stratford cultural arts center incorporating the Booth
- 8 Property, Perry House, William Samuel Johnson House, Judson House
- 9 and other significant town venues that have the potential to attract
- 10 visitors and support the historic legacy of William Samuel Johnson.

***Statement of Purpose:***

To provide funds for a cultural arts center in the town of Stratford.